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Brad Biggs, Superintendent Wastewater Treatment Plant 749 W. McPherson Clyde, Ohio 43400

Re: Site Name: Clyde Dump

TDD No.: F05-9007-011

PAN: FOHO864SB

U.S. EPA No.: 0HD980905251

Dear Mr. Biggs:

This letter is in response to your recent inquiry requesting additional information concerning our firm. Ecology and Environment, Inc., has been retained by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency under contract 68-01-7347 for the purpose of evaluating candidate sites for the National Priorities List under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), and the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA).

Information supplied to the U.S. EPA through a Preliminary Assessment submitted by the Ohio EPA has identified the property in question as a possible candidate for the National Priorities List. As part of our evaluation, the U.S. EPA has asked us to perform an on-site inspection of the property in question. This is the reason for my request to visit your facility on September 19 and 20, 1990 at 8:00 a.m.

We will take soil/sediment samples, monitoring well samples, and a residential well sample at the time of our inspection. It is your option to collect samples at the same time and submit them at your own expense of your own choosing.

I have attached a copy of the Letter of Introduction provided by the U.S. EPA for Ecology and Environment, Inc., employees engaged in field investigation work, which outlines the statutory basis for such inspections. Also enclosed is a copy of section 104(e) of CERCLA, outlining the authority of Ecology & Environment, Inc., to conduct inspections for the U.S. EPA, taken from Environment Reporter, published by the Bureau of National Affairs, Inc., Washington, D.C. 20037, February 24, 1989, 71:0710-0712. So you have a better understanding of the questions we need to ask, I have also attached a copy of the site inspection form.

If you require additional information or if a change in plans is necessary, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely

Randy Livingston

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